

Agree I say come to the Fort.  
QUEENBERRY.

New stock of Boots and Shoes at  
Holt & Hughes.

Suits \$10 worth \$15, at WASSON &  
FOWLER'S.

S. R. CRISPIN & CO. don't do a  
credit business, but persons who have  
been accommodated by having a ticket  
made of their purchases will please call  
and pay them. Time is up.

A new lot of Fur, Wool and Straw  
Hats just received by  
S. R. CRISPIN & CO.

Drop in and see the Goods of S. R.  
CRISPIN & CO., before you buy. It  
will pay you.

Organize and Linen Lawns, and  
White Goods of all kinds and at all  
prices at S. R. CRISPIN & CO.

S. R. CRISPIN & CO. can suit you  
in Ladies Shoes, and you will regret it  
if you buy before you see their stock.

The finest assortment of Ladies'  
Hosiery in the city can be found at  
S. R. CRISPIN & CO.

The very latest styles and best brand  
of Ladies' and Misses' Shoes at prices  
to suit the times, at WASSON & FOWLER'S.

The latest styles of Ladies' and Misses'  
Shoes, at WASSON & FOWLER'S.

Boots and Shoes can be bought at  
bottom rock prices at Holt & Hughes.

New goods just received and sold as  
low as anywhere in the county at Holt  
& Hughes.

WASSON & FOWLER are now receiving  
and offering for sale the largest and  
best selected stock of Boys' and Men's  
Hats, ever brought to this market.

In Clothing, WASSON & FOWLER are  
prepared to suit every one desiring a  
new suit, from the little man, to the  
big man who does his No. 46.

GO TO FARRIS & SON'S FOR  
GOOD BARGAINS.

SHIRTS!! SHIRTS!! SHIRTS!!!  
Do you want a shirt that will fit you?  
If you do call on S. R. Crispin & Co.,  
and leave an order for a lot of the  
Celebrated F. A. Steer Shirts, of St.  
Louis. They will give you satisfaction.  
A fit guaranteed.

S. R. CRISPIN & CO.

Kid Gloves.  
A splendid line of kid gloves just  
received at WASSON & FOWLER'S.

Hamburg Edgings.  
A splendid lot of Hamburg Edgings  
at WASSON & FOWLER'S.

Produce bought and sold at QUEEN-  
BERRY'S.

Gentlemen's Neck Ties and Neck  
Wear of every description at  
S. R. CRISPIN & CO.

Farm For Sale.  
I want to sell my farm of 150 acres,  
nearly all under fence—about sixty  
acres in cultivation, balance in woods  
pastures; good frame dwelling, with  
liver, rooms; a nice young fruit  
orchard; also a good sugar orchard;  
two living wells of water, and springs  
in pasture. For further information  
enquire of the undersigned living on  
said farm, one mile North-West of  
Fredericksburg, Ray County, Mo.  
J. N. SMART.

The Celebrated Lexington  
Ft. for sale at  
Warinner & Co's.

Just think of it! A full suit at WASSON  
& FOWLER'S, for \$6.

A splendid line of Boys' and Youths'  
Clothing, at WASSON & FOWLER'S.

For pure coffee and sugar call on  
Holt & Hughes.

WASSON & FOWLER'S \$12 Suits are  
simply elegant.

For a first-class Sewing Machine,  
call on J. W. Bowen, at the Post  
Office.

WASSON & FOWLER'S Button Shirts  
are worth a trip to see them, for you  
can't leave without buying a pair.

If you want a real bargain in the dry  
goods line, go at once to Holt &  
Hughes.

Ortiz Jackson's Best Sweet Navy  
Tobacco.

CHOICE GROCERIES.  
Strictly choice Coffee, 5 lbs for \$1.00  
Brown Sugar, 11 to 14 lbs for 1.00  
Good Coffee, 10 lbs for 1.00  
Fine Syrup per gallon, 75c  
Holt & Hughes.

ICE CREAM.  
Don't fail to inform the citizens  
of Richmond and vicinity, that he is  
prepared to furnish Ice Cream in any  
quantity to Private Family Parties,  
Picnics and Festivals. In ordering  
2 or more gallons, a reduction in prices  
will be made.  
Leave order if large quantities is want-  
ed, 2 days before needed.

NOTICE TO TEACHERS.  
I will hold an examination in Rich-  
mond, the 4th Saturday in every month.  
Teachers must not ask for examinations  
at other times. THOS. M. DEACY,  
23-ly. County School Com.

FOR BEST BARGAINS IN  
GROCERIES, GO TO FARRIS &  
SON'S.

6400 acres of land in Texas, title  
guaranteed, for exchange  
for land in Missouri, or first-class stock.  
At low prices.  
McCUSTION, QUIRK & CO.

A Chance.  
We will call the following papers  
with the DEMOCRAT, at the price named  
after each.

Richmond DEMOCRAT and ST. 2 50  
Louis Republic, 2 50  
Richmond DEMOCRAT and ST. 2 50  
Louis Globe-Democrat, 2 50  
Richmond TRENCHARD and ST. 2 50  
Louis Times-Journal, 2 50

Persons desiring either of the St.  
Louis weeklies named above, will do  
well to give us a call.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

Salt at QUEENBERRY'S.

For bargains go to Holt & Hughes at  
store room under Conservator office.

Don't bring your spring chickens to  
market until they get over the gripes.

Full line of Spring Styles Prints, at  
Holt & Hughes.

Dry weather until after harvest would  
suit us better now.

Ben Conrow, who is glad to see ev-  
erybody, is at QUEENBERRY'S.

Mr. Anderson has built himself a neat  
cook-room, this week, at his residence  
in the eastern part of town.

The new colored school house is get-  
ting well under way, and will be ready  
for occupation by fall.

Hamburg Edgings, both White and  
Colored, a very full line at  
S. R. CRISPIN & CO.

Next Saturday will be the longest day  
in the year. After that they begin to  
shorten a little.

Pie Nics will have to be postponed  
now until after harvest, as farmers are  
too busy to spare a day now.

Recollect that you will now find Holt  
& Hughes at store room under the Con-  
servator office.

There was one addition, by confession  
and baptism to the Christian Church, at  
this place on Sunday night last.

Clothing in all Styles and Colors at  
bottom prices at

S. R. CRISPIN & CO.

Holt & Hughes have removed their  
goods to the store under the Conservator  
office.

Mr. J. S. DeMasters has a very fine  
class in vocal music, which he is teach-  
ing at the Richmond College.

In Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods of  
any kind S. R. CRISPIN & CO. can  
suit you. Call and see for yourself.

The best way to keep the respect of  
your fellowmen is to pursue an honest,  
straightforward, upright course in all  
your business or social relations.

Never promise more than can be done.  
Dr. Bull's Baltimore Pills have been  
successfully run on this principle. Price 25 cents.

Business with our dealers in Reapers  
and Mowers is good, and the number  
sold the past week has exceeded ex-  
pectations.

The Richmond Cornet Silver Band  
has been thoroughly organized, and is  
now prepared to furnish first-class  
music on short notice.

Mr. Sanders, of this place says, he has  
a cow with twin calves, and there is not  
a colored hair on either of the three.  
All white.

Lathrop is making grand prepara-  
tion to celebrate the 4th of July. Better  
give it up boys and come down to our  
celebration.

Call at S. R. CRISPIN & CO'S store  
if you wish to look through a very full  
stock of Ladies Dress Goods and Trimm-  
ings. They can suit you.

Our friends who have favored us with  
communications this week will please  
accept our thanks for same. We hope  
to hear from them often.

The seventeen-year-oldest that were  
so pleased to work for ten days ago,  
seem to have nearly all vanished. The  
only damage done was the eating of a  
few leaves on the trees.

For bargains in Dry Goods, Notions,  
Clothing, Dress Goods, Boots and  
Shoes, Hats and Caps or Gentlemen's  
Furnishing Goods, go to  
S. R. CRISPIN & CO.

Farmers in this section are very busy  
just now harvesting their golden grain.  
Some have finished their wheat  
harvest, and will get it into stacks as  
soon as they can do so. The crop is  
better than many supposed it would be.

Gus Niermeyer, our fashionable bar-  
ber, is going to open out in a few days,  
a fine stock of razors and clippers. He  
has received his goods, and as soon as  
he gets fixed up he can sell you a first-  
class razor or give you an easy shave.

Several new cyclone cellars or caves,  
have been constructed in town, recently.  
The dampness in these cellars will  
make business for the doctors, if we  
have much threatening weather during  
the summer months.

New potatoes made their appearance  
on the market this week, but the supply  
was not equal to the demands. Eggs  
are in plentiful supply, but butter is a  
little scarce. Soap beads and peas are  
in limited supply.

He is a fool. We mean the man who  
lets his baby cry all night in the arms  
of his mother, and does not sleep a wink,  
when Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup will quiet  
the baby by relieving its pain; a bottle  
costing only 25 cents.

As usual, the peckish hogs and cows  
have commenced the destruction of  
gardens. You might as well try to stop  
the progress of a cyclone, as to stop the  
majority of the stock permitted to run  
at large in this city, from gaining ad-  
mission to gardens.

A Grand Re-Union of all the Temper-  
ance Orders of this State will be held at  
Sedalia, commencing July 2nd, and con-  
tinuing over the 4th. Of course we  
can't send delegates as we have our own  
4th of July Temperance Celebration to  
look after.

Felix Dora, who keeps the Eating  
House at E. & L. Junction, shows more  
enterprise in the matter of garden orna-  
mentation than any man in this section.  
He has the little wedge shape piece of  
ground east of the eating house nicely  
laid out into walks, and a fountain is  
kept playing all the time.

A hail storm out near Russellville, in  
the North-East part of the county on  
Friday evening last, did considerable  
damage to the growing crops. The  
hail stones that fell were large and beat  
down the corn. From other portions  
of the county we have heard of much  
damage being done by the recent storm.

Lightning played an unusual feat on  
an oak tree on the Junction road near  
the residence of Mr. Charles Sevier, last  
week. It completely stripped it of bark  
for a space of 40 feet, and appears to  
have shivered the sap of the tree all the  
way around. It must have been a very  
unusual charge of electricity to have  
such a powerful effect.

Sheriff McGinnis was busy on Mon-  
day morning as a hen with one chicken,  
all because he thought some person had  
stolen his mare the night before, but  
after making due enquiry, he found that  
she and only strayed off a little way, and  
he got her again before dinner time.  
This made him feel so good that he was  
willing to set up the cigars to the boys.

He Was Disappointed.

Sheriff McGinnis came near meeting  
with an adventure week before last, at  
Salisbury, while on his way to Jefferson  
City with a prisoner. On the seat just  
in front of him sat a lady and gentleman  
well advanced in life. When the train  
reached Salisbury, a young, fine looking  
lady with pouting lips and cheeks, that  
looked like a ripe peach, entered the car  
and recognizing the aged couple as rela-  
tions, was extravagant in her demon-  
strations of joy and caresses toward  
them, kissing them time and again.  
After asking them a number of ques-  
tions, she asked where her Uncle Tom  
was, when one of them beckoned in the  
direction of Sheriff McGinnis, remarking  
that there was. The young lady was  
about to fold her hand in her fond  
embrace, and cover him with caresses,  
and he, why he was just simply scared  
half to death for fear that she was going  
to rob him, but alas! before she reached  
him the aged lady caught her by the  
dress and told her of her mistake. This  
was truly unfortunate for our sheriff,  
but the best of us must meet with dis-  
appointments, for no doubt the Sheriff  
would have enjoyed the caresses very  
much after he got over his scare.

In the future, McGinnis says, that no wo-  
man can give him such a scare as that,  
as he has learned something, but he con-  
soles himself with the thought that  
there's many a "slip 'twixt cup and lip."

Messrs Holt & Hughes have moved  
their goods to the store under the Con-  
servator office where they will be glad  
to see their old customers. They make  
this change so as to have their old store  
house remodeled. They will sell you  
great bargains at the new stand.

SPECIAL.

All those owing me will please call by  
1st of July and make payment.

Respectfully,  
J. P. QUEENBERRY.

The editors of the Temperance col-  
umn will give a report of the meeting  
last Tuesday night, next week.

Preaching.

Prof. J. E. Dunn will fill his regular  
appointments at Millville on Saturday  
night and Sunday next. The public are  
invited.

Elder Addison Harper, of the German  
Baptist Church, will preach at the  
Christian Church in this place on next  
Sunday, it being the 4th Sunday in  
June, and regularly thereafter, on the  
4th Sunday in each month. The people  
of Richmond are invited to turn out and  
hear him.

ONE DOLLAR

Will buy a splendid plow shoe at  
BROWN & BRO'S Mort.

We are in receipt of a letter from Mr.  
Joseph Wild, asking us to say that the  
Millville Temperance Pic-Nic advertised  
for July 10th, will be one mile south of  
Millville, near W. B. Buford's. This is  
mentioned that all parties may easily  
find the location. No intoxicating  
drinks will be allowed on the grounds.  
Everybody and all his friends expected.

On Saturday evening last, as freight  
train No. 29, was passing Agency Ford,  
it ran into some cattle on the track, and  
made a total wreck of the engine, and  
ditched five cars loaded with ties. The  
fireman was slightly hurt, but no one  
else injured. This accident occurred 12  
miles this side of St. Joe on our Rail-  
road.

We have been turning out some very  
fine jobs of printing during the past  
week. With our new Job Press and  
new type, we absolutely defy com-  
petition. If you want a job of fine print-  
ing give us a trial.

Reduced Prices.

Attention is called to the reduced  
prices mentioned by Messrs. Brown &  
Bro., of Morton, on cotton goods in this  
issue. They are active, wide awake  
men and keep well up with the times.

Temperance.

There will be a Temperance meeting  
at Orrick, on Sunday next, at 3 o'clock.  
Mr. C. J. Hughes, Jr., of this place,  
will be present and address the meeting.  
The Temperance Society of Orrick meet  
regularly on each Sunday evening in  
the week.

We are in receipt of a letter from G.  
W. Oswald sent from Williamsville N.  
Y. asking for information of his sister  
Miss Kate Oswald who lived here with  
Mrs. James Ball fourteen years ago.  
We understand she lives at Lee's Sum-  
mit, in Jackson county and is married  
but we cannot learn her name.

Meeting of Central Committee.

The County Central Committee of  
Ray county will meet at Richmond on  
Tuesday June 24, at 10 o'clock, a. m.,  
and the same time the committee of 21  
will have a meeting at Richmond.

The Best Stock.

The best stock of Harts ever displayed  
in the Richmond market, at WASSON &  
FOWLER'S.

Kansas City Markets.

CATTLE—Hard and quiet market and  
general complaint of dullness.

Native shipping steers,  
choice, averaging 1,400  
to 1,500 lbs and upwards, \$4.45 @ 4.50

Native shipping steers, good  
averaging 1,350 to 1,450  
lbs, 4.30 @ 4.35

Native shipping steers, light  
and fair, averaging 1,000  
to 1,350 lbs, 3.95 @ 4.10

Butcher's steers, fair and  
good, averaging 900 to  
1,000 lbs, 3.50 @ 3.75

Feeding steers, fair to good,  
averaging 1,000 to 1,300  
lbs, 3.00 @ 3.75

Stock steers, common to  
good, averaging 800 to  
1,000 lbs, 2.50 @ 3.25

Cows and heifers, good to  
choice, 2.25 @ 2.75

Cows and heifers, common  
to fair, 2.00 @ 2.20

Horses—Market reasonably active  
and firm.

Medium to choice, \$3.50 @ 3.55

Light shipping, 3.35 @ 3.45

Stockers, 2.90 @ 3.20

St. Louis Markets.

CATTLE—Better, with fair demand  
good to choice heavy shipping steers,  
\$4.80 @ 5.00; do, light, \$4.50 @ 4.80;

native heavy steers, \$3.50 @ 4.25; cows  
and heifers, \$2.80 @ 3.40; grass Indians  
\$2.00 @ 2.50; Texans, \$2.25 @ 3.15; Colo-  
rados, \$3.50 @ 4.50. Receipts, 1,900.  
Shipments, 130.

Horses—Earlier, rough and heavy, \$3.25  
@ 3.40; Yorkers Baltimore, \$3.45 @ 3.60;  
3,000; smooth heavy \$3.50 @ 3.75. Re-  
ceipts 7,000.

Personal.

Mr. Marion Pettus, of Lawson, gave  
us a substantial call on Monday.

Capt. J. B. Hines and I. M. Baber,  
Esq's., were in to see us last week.

Miss L. Dorton, of Orrick, is in the  
city visiting the family of Col. Child.

Miss Mary Hughes, who has been  
attending school at Columbia, returned  
home last Saturday evening.

Miss Lizzie Barr, returned home from  
Columbia last week, at which place she  
has been attending school.

Miss Lulu Hughes, who has been at-  
tending the Baptist Female College, at  
Lexington, returned home last week.

Miss Minnie Davis, of Lexington,  
spent Saturday and Sunday in this place,  
the guest of Miss Annie Woodson.

Mr. T. M. Flourary, from near Mill-  
ville, and Mr. S. W. Wilson, from near  
Fox, P. O., called to see us on Tues-  
day.

Miss Kate Hubbard, of Columbia, Mo.,  
is visiting in this city, the guest of  
Miss Annie Hubbard.

Mr. Ed. M. Warinner, of St. Louis,  
was in the city visiting his father's  
family, the first of this week.

Mr. Leo J. Barr, who has been attend-  
ing the Kemper School in Booneville, is  
at home spending his vacation with his  
father, Col. A. J. Barr, of this place.

Squire C. G. Gaston and R. A.  
Pritchard, of Camden, were in the  
office this morning. They report Cam-  
den all quiet.

Our "devil" accompanied by John  
Shotwell, took a run over to Lexington  
Tuesday night, to be present at a party  
given in honor of Miss Boteler, of Kan-  
sas City, at the residence of Mr. M. F.  
Royce.

Mr. Warren W. Ewing and lady, and  
Miss Nellie Shaw, took a trip to St.  
Louis this week. They went to Kansas  
City first, and then went to St. Louis,  
over the C. & A. Road, thereby taking  
advantage of the cheap fare. They had  
a pleasant trip.

New Church Building.

From Mr. Marion Pettus we learn  
that the Baptist Church, with the aid of  
friends, are erecting a new church  
building in Lawson. We are glad to  
hear of this improvement, and of the  
prosperity of our Baptist friends in that  
section.

Gutta Percha Paint.

If you want to give your house a new  
coat of paint, go to Mosby & Son's and  
get the Gutta Percha, which is already  
mixed.

Ladies Dress Goods.

A large invoice of Ladies Dress Goods  
of the most fashionable styles just opened  
at WASSON & FOWLER'S.

SEWING MACHINES.

If you want to buy a Sewing Machine,  
call at our store and see the "New  
Home." It is a first-class Machine in  
every respect. Prices \$30 to \$32.

S. R. CRISPIN & CO.

ROLL CARDS.

The Roll Carding Machines at the  
Hammacher Mills, are now ready for  
work. Bring on your Wool! Will  
Card the same for 6 cents per pound.  
18-2m J. R. HAMMACHER & BRO.

Farmers Look to your Interest.

The splendid Norman Horse,  
STONEWALL.

Will make the present season at  
our Stable opposite Hughes &  
Bank, in the city of Richmond,  
and will serve horses at \$2 to  
include with feed, money due from the feed  
is ascertained or have paid with the bill re-  
spective for the services of the horse.

STONEWALL is a beautiful light gray  
colored, 7 years old, 16 1/2 hands high,  
extremely proportioned, heavy muscled  
and weighs, when in good flesh, 1500 pounds  
and has fine style and splendid action.

14-11 MCGINNIS & QUIRK.

FIVE CENT  
COUNTER

—AT—  
WASSON & FOWLER'S.

THE BIGGEST  
THING IN THE WORLD.

10,000

ARTICLES,  
And Master Harry Davis will  
give you your choice for only  
FIVE CENTS.

THE Southern Press, says the  
Norristown Herald, has adopted  
the right plan at last to stop the  
negro exodus. They are publish-  
ing reports to the effect that the  
watermelon drop in the South  
this year will be the largest ever  
known, and that growers will be  
compelled to give them away to  
get rid of them. Circulate this  
fact among the colored refugees  
in Kansas, and they will return  
home on the next boat.—Southern  
Reveille.

SOMETIME since while cutting down  
a burr oak tree, Mr. J. C.  
Miles, living just over the line, in  
Adair county, discovered figures  
on a slab, imbedded in the tree  
some six inches, and at a height  
of four feet from the ground.  
The tree was fully two feet and  
a half in diameter. How the  
slab or board had gotten there or  
when of course he was unable to  
say.—Macon Register.

Mr. Robert Scobee, of Jeffers-  
on township, this county, shear-  
ed 182 1/2 pounds of wool from  
fifteen yearling sheep, making an  
average of 12 1/8 pounds of wool  
to the fleece. He sold the wool  
to Bassett & Eubank at 20 cents  
per pound, thus realizing the  
handsome profit of \$3.18 2/3 on  
each yearling sheep. Mr. Scobee  
informs us that some time ago  
he sold off his old scrub stock  
and bought good sheep, hence his  
profit. He requests us to  
say that if any other farmer will  
do the same thing he can afford  
to take his county paper. That  
being the case and assuming that  
they will do what they can thus  
afford to do, we heartily concur  
in the advice. But what we  
want to know is, who can beat  
that showing? There is no gas  
about this. The fleece were  
brought to town and weighed.—  
Pine Mercury.

NOTWITHSTANDING  
The Advance in Goods  
BROWN AND BRO.,  
MORTON, MO.,

Have reduced the price of all their Lawns and Summer  
Dress Goods.

Linen Lawns worth 30 cents reduced to 25 cents.

" " 25 " " 20 cents.

" " 15 " " 12 1/2 cents.

" " 12 1/2 " " 10 cents.

We are determined to close out these goods and hence of-  
fer at low figures. We have the largest stock of these goods

—[IN RAY COUNTY]—  
embracing the most handsome styles.

BROWN & BRO.

CITY

Family Grocery

AND

Queensware Store,

Northeast Corner Public Square,

WARINNER & CO.,

PROPRIETORS.

Keep a splendid stock of Fresh Groceries  
always on hand, and sell strictly for CASH,  
AT THE LOWEST LIVING PRICES.

We don't expect to sell all the